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ALABAMA GUARD READY IN STRIKE; G. O. P. VOTERS' WIDE MARGIN HERE

TROOPS ARE HELD READY IN ALABAMA

Mobile, Ala., July 25.—A long-distance message from Montgomery received tonight says three military companies were ordered to mobilize by Governor Thomas F. Kilby tonight in Birmingham ready for call to Alabama. The order calls for one machine gun company, which is fully equipped, one company of infantry, and one of cavalry. The troops are being held in the armory at Birmingham ready to start.

Austin, Tex., July 25.—Martial law has been declared at Denison. Five infantry companies of the 142nd regiment here are assembling supplies and will move out on a special train at 7 p. m. tonight. Rangers called to Denison will be shifted to Childress and Sherman under the "open port" law. These admissions came from Governor Neff at 5:30 p. m. today.

Denison, Tex., July 25.—O. J. Shoemaker, spokesman for the strikers, announced that he had offered the services of the strikers to Colonel C. W. Nimmon for the laying out of a camp. The strikers agreed to build sewer and water lines and do other construction, he said.

Troops for Kentucky
Frankfort, Ky., July 25.—Troops were today ordered into Belle County. It was announced tonight by Governor Edwin F. Morrow. The troops were requested by the sheriff at that point following alleged threats made against non-union men.

County authorities appealed for aid it was announced, when they feared they could not longer maintain order. The use of troops in Belle county is the first forcible action of the State since Governor Morrow approved the recent presidential proclamation in reference to mining operations.

Ten Seized on Train
Cedar Rapids, Ia., July 25.—Violence in the railway strike recurred here early today when ten men were taken off trains and man-handled.

One man who came here to work for the Rock Island Railroad was beaten and thrown into a slough but escaped. Another who was to be employed by the Illinois Central was roughly handled.

Ten men on route to Minneapolis to employment in the Rock Island shops were taken from a train by a crowd of men and were being used roughly when rescued by the police, who took them to the station for safe keeping.

A federal injunction against interference with the railroads reached here this morning in the care of an aviator who landed at Keystone and was forced to complete his trip by automobile. Additional deputy federal marshals armed with shot guns and instructed to shoot to kill if necessary went on duty on railroad property.

Chicago, July 25.—Refusal of grand chiefs of the shopmen's union to sanction agreements between individual roads and their employees was holding up settlement of the shopmen's strike on a score of railroads of the country tonight. Irrespective of what terms might be reached the union leaders are insisting that any peace agreements must apply to all roads of the country.

B. M. Jewell, president of the railway employees' department of the American Federation of Labor, is convinced the strike cannot be won unless the men stick together. He

Teddy Webb Menaced By Black Hand

A black hand letter threatening murder and demanding \$500, signed "M. M. Smiling," was received by the Webb Motor Company, 2471 Shattuck avenue, Berkeley, yesterday and was turned over to the Berkeley police by Teddy Webb, one of the firm partners.

It reads:
"I want \$500 at once or you will be murdered. Do not tell anybody. If I know one person you tell, I will not take the money but you will be shot."
"Send it to this address three days after—M. M. Smiling, 622 Broadway, California."

"P. S. This amount will be paid within three months with 5 per cent interest."

Teddy Webb is well known in Richmond, having operated the City Hall garage in this city for some time.

BIG BENEFIT FOR STRIKERS

The B. R. T. and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the B. R. T. are putting on a strenuous campaign in Richmond to sell tickets for the benefit whist party which will be given at Labor Temple next Friday evening.

The party is being staged to raise a few iron men to keep the pot boiling for the strikers, and there has been generous response in certain quarters. Some of the business men have shown themselves to have hearts of gold, and have taken big batches of tickets.

Of course the craftsmen here are not in a state of abject poverty comparable to the conditions that prevail in Armenia or in Soviet Russia, but when the bread winner lays off for weeks there is a feeling that there is "something rotten in the state of Denmark."

This whist party is not a charity bazaar.

But it's a laudable enterprise, and you can't go wrong by buying a batch of tickets.

There will be one dozen prizes offered, six for the ladies and six for the men, and a door prize. Receipts already total \$200. Have you bought your tickets?

Father Butler Will Go To S. F.

Rev. Father Butler, assistant pastor of St. Mark's church for the past eighteen months, has been transferred to St. Paul's Catholic church, San Francisco, where he will be assistant pastor. The vacancy created by his transfer will be filled by Father Conway, who has been temporarily pastor of an Alameda Catholic church. Father Butler will resume his new duties in San Francisco on Friday.

He refused to permit a separate agreement on the Northern Pacific. Today a separate agreement was about to be reached on the Baltimore & Ohio when the grand chiefs halted the movement. Not less than thirty roads, it is reported, could reach terms with their men on the basis prescribed in the decision of the United States Labor Board. If the grand chiefs would give permission.

MECHANICS TO TRY FOR FIRST PLACE TODAY

HOW THEY STAND
Barrel House 3 4 .667
Mechanical Shops 8 4 .667
All Standards 5 7 .417
Refinery 3 9 .250

With only three more weeks remaining of the Twilight League schedule, the race has narrowed down to a close fight between the Barrel House and the Mechanics. The Mechanics will endeavor to climb ahead of the Barrel House this afternoon by taking a fall out of the All Standards, who have played ragged ball lately.

Mechanics Desperate
Knowing that a single defeat may put them out of the running, the Mechanics will probably use Kersten, their pitching ace, on the mound today. Mike Morrow, seems the logical choice on the hill for the All Standards and should give Gene a run for his money if accorded better support by his teammates than he has had in his last several starts.

Garvin's Cellarites Wrath
The Barrel House will pick on the lowly Refiners in tomorrow afternoon's brawl. Johnny Garvin's cellar

16,578, Mostly G. O. P. Registered In This County

Martinez, July 25.—The Republicans are greatly in the majority in Contra Costa county this year, according to a preliminary count of the total registration of the county which was made on Tuesday by County Clerk J. H. Wells.

The count shows that at the present time there are registered in the county 16,578 for the primary election on the 29th of August. Of this number there are 11,623 republicans; 3,000 democrats; 1,154 non-partisans; 310 socialists; 88 prohibition and 8 progressives.

The last day to register for the primaries will be Saturday of this week and Wells expects this number to be increased by several hundred by Saturday night. The total registration for the last general election was over 20,000.

HOME FROM SOUTH
Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Alvarado returned yesterday morning from Los Angeles where they visited Mrs. H. Alvarado's mother, Mrs. Frank Skinner, for the past six weeks.

champions are out to wreck the champion aspirations of the Barrel House tomorrow and a good game may result. Webb, the youthful Refinery chucker, has improved with every start and may prove tough for the Barrel House sluggers to hit.

BALDNESS OF HUBBY PEEVES LOCAL WOMAN

Alleged false representations by Helmar Wernmark, of Richmond, and an inoffensive wig he wears are responsible for Mrs. Lily Wernmark holding a decree of annulment of marriage today, signed by Superior Judge A. B. McKenzie. Mrs. Wernmark charged her husband with fraud, declaring that well knowing her aversion to toupees he "artfully deceived" her of his bald head.

The couple married in Oakland in January, 1921, and a separation occurred, Mrs. Wernmark declared, when she discovered the toupee and alleged falsity of representations she says Wernmark made to her. Wernmark, she asserted, well knowing her aversion to marrying a foreigner falsely represented himself as an American. He also claimed, he declared, an income from business interests when the only income he had was his daily labor. Wernmark did not oppose his wife's suit.

LEAVE FOR PORTERVILLE
Keith and Clare Hoover departed Monday for Porterville where they will spend a two-weeks' vacation.

Masons At Point Have Dedication

A large number of Masons and members of the Eastern Star of the various lodges of Richmond turned out last night and comfortably filled the building when Point Lodge Temple was dedicated.

Grand Master Samuel Edgerton Burke, of the grand lodge of California, was the directing head of the ceremonies, and he was assisted by the following: William Albert Sherman, deputy grand master; Ludwig M. Johnson, senior grand warden; J. J. Burdon, junior grand warden; Elmer A. Martin, grand treasurer; John Whitcher, grand secretary; Thomas John Baker, grand lecturer; Paul Little, grand chaplain; Harry Sumner Johnson, assistant grand secretary; Walter T. Helms, grand marshal; J. P. Pias, grand standard bearer; John McCullough, grand sword bearer; David E. Huntzinger, grand bible bearer; Andrew S. Diamond, grand senior deacon; Lewis F. Moore, grand junior deacon; Arthur L. Hewitt, senior steward; Joseph Redman, junior grand steward; Homer G. Stidham, grand purveyor; Frank Bickett, grand organist; Frank Watson, grand tiler.

The program was carried forward with dignity and at its conclusion a fine banquet was served by the Point Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, with Mrs. G. W. Topping as chairman, assisted by a committee which included Mesdames Robert Wood, C. A. Odell, F. M. Neville, J. O. Redman, I. D. Owens, J. H. Finley, David E. Huntzinger and Lewis F. Moore, and Misses Verna Stidham and Marguerite Peterson.

Point Lodge was one year old last April, and has flourished since its organization here. Its number is 503. There are about 50 members.

The master of the lodge is C. G. Peterson.

EARLY BLAZE MENACES POINT

A fire that originated in the lavatory on the second floor of a three-story frame building at 146 Washington avenue, discovered at 1:15 this morning, periled the lives of the Bottom family, but a neighbor detected the fire, turned in the alarm, and the fire department personally directed by Fire Chief Lemoin soon had the fire out.

The loss is estimated at \$150. But for quick and effective action, Chief Lemoin told the Record-Herald that the entire block from Richmond to Cottage avenue probably would have gone up in flames.

The building is occupied by Bottoms, his wife and several children.

VALLEJO FIRE CHIEF IS RICHMOND VISITOR

Fire Chief Dennis Noonan, of Vallejo, and C. E. Perry, a contractor of that city, were in Richmond yesterday looking over the fire houses of this city preparatory to making recommendations for expansion of the equipment of Vallejo.

VOTERS SHOULD REGISTER NOW.
Miss Nesbit will register voters at the Mechanics Bank from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. and at 631 Bissell from 3 p. m. to 9 p. m. 7-26-22.

ANOTHER CUT IN GAS PRICE IS PREDICTED

San Francisco, July 25.—Another cut in the price of gas is indicated in the face of conspicuous and general reductions in the price of crude oil.

Oil stocks continued under heavy pressure yesterday and many of the favorite petroleum were hammered down to further losses. In several cases the oils clung to the low levels of yesterday through a pretty thorough discounting of the announcement of the second price reduction of 25 cents a barrel on crude by the Standard Oil of California. All of the other California producers followed suit today.

The sensational decline in the oil shares in yesterday afternoon's session on the Montgomery street exchange was brought about by "insiders" who were tipped off on the impending crude price slide.

Pacific Oil and Standard of California were the two exceptions today in escaping further weakness. Both of these issues made large fractions to about three point gains.

General Petroleum in the morning trading sold off to 103. North American Oil Consolidated took the board as the center of terrific pounding and sagged from opening sales at 1.05 to 89, a further extension of losses from the previous day. Consolidated Mutual, another company controlled by the North American Oil interests, declined in the opening sales of 3750 shares at 65 and upon the offering of 4000 shares dropped to 58.

Honolulu Oil sacrificed a large fraction to 6 1/4 to 8 1/4. Associated Oil held comparatively firm at 110, while its subsidiary, Amalgamated Oil, dropped nearly four points from the close yesterday to 85 1/4.

Trading in the oil shares overshadowed the local market.

The small independent oil producers are now faced by one of the most critical problems in their history. The new price schedule practically forces many of these little companies out of existence, as their margin of profit has fast dwindled. Many undoubtedly will close their wells, where possible, and wait with the fond hope of the coming back of better prices for their product, while others will sell out to other interests.

NEW P. G. RATE CUT LOOMS
The further reduction of crude oil forebodes another cut in Pacific Gas and Electric Company rates by the Railroad Commission, and with this possibility in sight Gas common passed off in today's markets in San Francisco and New York, selling down to 69 1/4.

The Railroad Commission is likely to take steps toward the lowering of the company's rates within the next few days.

The Standard Oil Company (California) issued the following statement:

"As a consequence of the continued overproduction of crude oil, the Standard Oil Company reduces its offered prices for all grades of crude oil at the fall 25 cents per barrel. This company also another cut possible, according to J. Zentner of Leno, Zentner & Co., local commission firm. Zentner believes that the difficulty facing shippers of California petroleum products will not become acute until the demand for cars in which to move wine grapes begins about the middle of August. Peaches will be moving heavily about the same time and unless the railroads are able to (Continued on Page Three)

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WOMEN'S CITIZENSHIP

Although the bonus, tariff and ship subsidy bills hold the center of public interest, there are a few others which deserve some attention. One of these is the Cable bill for independent citizenship of married women, which passed the House on June 20 with a large majority vote. Both of the leading political parties have favored the principle of this bill, and the National League of Women Voters is backing it strongly.

The bill provides that a woman citizen resident in the United States at the time of her marriage and continuing to reside there shall be deemed a citizen unless she formally renounces her citizenship to adopt that of her alien husband. Also it provides that an alien woman shall not, by her marriage to an American citizen, herself become a citizen without going through the naturalization process.

The need for legislation of this sort has been shown more clearly than formerly in various tangles which have followed the many war marriages. One woman, an American citizen by birth but a foreigner by marriage, has found that she cannot serve as executrix of her mother's property, although she is so named in the will. Another woman who was a practicing lawyer, by her marriage to a Dutchman, has lost her right to practice law in her own state, whose laws bar foreigners from that privilege.

There are many other possibilities, not likely to be thought of until the case is called into question by legal tests, which make it unfair both to the American-born and her foreign-born sister to have their citizenship determined solely by the nationality of their respective husbands. Rectification of the present situation should come at an early date.

REASON WINS

There is a growing impression that Great Britain will agree to cancel the French debt in return for the French agreement to reduction of Germany's reparations payments. The mere fact that the subject is under consideration is good evidence that reason is taking the place of passion in the adjustment of European affairs. This is the first essential before Europe can hope to emerge from chaos.

Even the French are beginning to acknowledge the necessity for a new deal. They stick firmly to the demand that the burden of adjustment shall not fall wholly upon French shoulders, and in this they are amply justified. But they now see that no matter how fully responsible Germany may be for the war and for her present financial instability, the fact of the instability remains and that this is what must be met. Britain, in her turn, is beginning to appreciate the fact that she has no right to expect more leniency from France to Germany than she herself is willing to extend to France, and the prospect brightens accordingly.

When Europe begins to talk in facts instead of hates and platitudes progress is beginning. It may be slow, but at least a start has been made.

Most people really get what they want most in life. The reason so many of them are discontented is that they imagine they want something else more.

The man who is bored when he gets out in the country isn't bored with the country. He's bored with himself.

The test of a real friend: Do you want to go on a vacation with him?

THE PRINCESS'S FALSE TOOTH

The swallowing of false teeth has been a subject for unseemly jests since the first set of "store" grinders was devised, but most of us have supposed that it couldn't be done. Now comes the evidence to support the jesters, and from a quarter which makes unbelief only one step removed from lese majeste.

The Princess Anna Asia of Greece, who used to be plain—or pretty—Nonnie Stewart of Cleveland, Ohio, admits, in Paris, that she swallowed one of hers in her sleep and that it took three operations to find it.

It is a good story, and not a half bad joke, but darn it, there goes another of our illusions in regard to princesses. They never had false teeth in Grimm.

THE FARMER ISN'T COMPLAINING

No American who works need go hungry next winter. Government crop reports indicate a harvest that should remove that fear, so far as abundance of food can do it.

It is true that corn, wheat and oats, although better than last year, are still slightly below the ten-year average, but the hay crop sets a record, and so will that of potatoes. Barley, rye, rice and tobacco are all plentiful. The commercial crop of apples shows a 20 per cent increase and that of peaches a gain of almost 35 per cent.

The spring pig crop—if it can be called that—is nearly 16 per cent larger than that of last year and the fall crop will be nearly as large. This means a better market for corn, which is always our best money crop. Reduced acreage and unfavorable weather in Europe will stimulate the wheat market correspondingly, and assure buyers for all that the United States and Canada can spare.

The potato crop, moreover, will enable us to spare more than usual. White potatoes are estimated at 429,700,000 bushels as against 347,000,000 last year and sweets at 111,000,000 as against 98,700,000.

The American farmer has not had the best of luck for a couple of years but he is not complaining now. His prosperity is the essential foundation of that of all the rest of us.

DROPPED CIPHERS

Once more Lenin has come across with a surprisingly sensible act. This time he has issued a decree cutting four ciphers off the price of every article of commodity to be sold. This means that a tourist who has been paying 131,000,000 rubles for five days' hotel accommodations in Moscow will now have to pay only 13,100 rubles. The same cut is extended to all commercial transactions.

This will work an undoubted hardship on some already burdened Russian tradespeople. In the long-run, however, all should benefit by it. Some authorities believe it would have been better yet to have dropped off some more ciphers, but this is a step in the right direction. If, at the same time, restrictions are placed on the issue of paper money, Russian financial improvement may be hoped for sooner than expected.

A good many of the congressmen who are going back home to learn what their constituents think about them will never find out. People are too courteous to tell them.

TRIAL OPENS AT MARTINEZ FOR ROYSTON

Martinez, July 25.—The trial of H. L. Royston of Richmond, charged with burglary in connection with the alleged theft of freight from box cars of the Santa Fe between Richmond and Glen Frazer several months ago, started before a jury in Judge A. R. McKenzie's court on Tuesday morning.

The jury was sworn shortly before noon and immediately thereafter the prosecution opened their case by calling Peter Richter to the stand. He was followed by C. L. Casassa and C. H. Cornwall.

The members of the jury are: Mrs. R. Brennan, Syl Olofson, Prosper Olivera, George Ackerman, Miss Nellie McCauley, Ben H. Zuppan, Mrs. Leonie Hinrichsen, Milton Lipp, John A. Bell, W. E. Ballanger, Gertrude Russel, and Jessie B. Near. Attorneys T. D. Johnston and Hiram Jacobs represent Royston and the prosecution is being conducted by Deputy District Attorneys T. H. DeLap and James F. Hoey.

Steger Sanitary Board Fix Taxes

Sitting as a Board of Equalization the Steger Sanitary Board has set the sanitary tax rate for the year 1923 in the San Pablo district at 26 cents per \$100 for the bond and interest fund, and 15 cents per \$100 for the running expense fund, a total of 41 cents per \$100 on an assessed valuation of \$2,344,350. The tax rate for 1922 was 42 cents on an assessed valuation of \$2,277,055.

Bert M. Kruger To Wed In Stockton

Bert M. Kruger, formerly of Albany and now residing in Stockton, will be married next Sunday afternoon in Stockton to Miss Freda Brunner of that city. They will spend their honeymoon at Santa Cruz and plan to make their home in Stockton upon their return. Mr. Kruger is well known in Richmond, being a former student at the Richmond high school. He is now employed by the Charles Pike Furniture Company in Stockton. Those planning to attend the wedding include Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kruger, Wally Kruger, Anita Kruger, Hilda Kruger and Eroll Lane.

Lions Here Will Invade Berkeley

An interesting talk by Guy W. Wolf, director of research of the California Real Estate Association, was a feature of the weekly luncheon of the Lions Club yesterday. Mr. Wolf discussed in an interesting manner the advantages of the proposed amendment to the state law governing traction and motor bus franchises. R. W. Armistead was chairman of the day.

The Lions were entertained with a musical program by Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Heder of Berkeley Vocal selection were given by Mr. Heder, accompanied by Mrs. Heder.

V. D. Brammer, Y. M. C. A. secretary, was a visitor and thanked the Lions for their interest in the boys' annual summer camp. Chairman Claude Clark plans to take a large delegation of the club to the meeting of the Berkeley Lions tomorrow.

Harry Alberts Is Going East

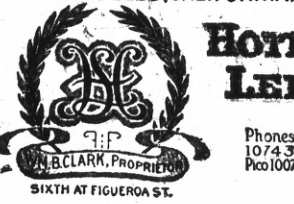
Harry Alberts, owner of the Big Store, plans to leave today on a three-weeks' business and pleasure trip throughout the East. On his way back to Richmond he will be joined by Mrs. Alberts, who has been visiting in Denver.

WALL CITY HALL SOFT DRINK SITE

The Charles Barrett Black Diamond Products Company, Richmond's newest industry, will hold its formal opening next Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock in the Wall City hall building. The company will make up soft drinks such as root beer, made direct from the herbs, orangeade, table syrups and Tokio cider. The big building has been remodeled into a model plant.

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to return the thousands of empty "reefer" cars heavy losses threaten the producers of the state, he says.

Cantaloupes and tomatoes are still in heavy supply in the local market, while the end of the currant, loganberry, apricot and cherry season is at hand and trade generally has settled to a normal movement.

It is the Turlock district that is to suffer most from the poor cantaloupe market. Today the market for standard crates was easy at \$1.25, with few sales and yllgher for the best stock and with pink meat varieties bringing 50 cents more at about \$2 a crate. There is a heavy melon acreage around Turlock and dealers say that a profit will be realized on but a small part of the crop, unless the unexpected happens.

ENJOYS SANTA CRUZ
Miss Margaret Camerle, cashier at the Big Store, is enjoying her vacation at Santa Cruz.

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Political Announcements

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Two Grass Fires On Yesterday

The fire department was called out yesterday to extinguish two grass fires. One near the City Hall Garage at 11:30 a. m. was put out by Hose truck No. 3, with no damage resulting. Another grass fire in the Santa Fe field at First and Ohio at 1:30 p. m. was put out by Chemical truck No. 1 no damage being done.

ELECT
John Roth
(Incumbent)

Justice of the Peace

15th TOWNSHIP

Primary Election Aug. 29, 1922

Thomas M. Carlson



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\$8,000,000 DAILY COST OF STRIKE

New York, July 25.—A pessimistic picture of business conditions resulting from railroad, coal and textile strikes is painted with figures included in the weekly review of industrial conditions made public by the National Industrial Conference Board, an employers' organization.

A depressing effect on business generally is evident, the review said. "Altogether, over 2,000,000 persons are voluntarily idle through strikes and since the beginning of July 100,000,000 man-hours of work have been lost each week. With the average wage of labor taken at 50 cents an hour, the wages alone since the first of the month the loss has been in excess of \$150,000,000, and is proceeding at the rate of over \$800,000,000 a day. This means a serious contraction in purchasing power which in turn may have its effect on future employment and general business conditions."

The conference board reports a slight increase in the cost of living since May 15 with a 25 per cent recession from the peak reached in July, 1920.

"Reports of wage changes gathered by the conference board," the review said, "show that between June 15 and July 15 the number of decreases slightly exceeded the number of increases."

This Couple Won't Start Forest Fires

"So you are going camping in the Sierras during John's vacation this year?"

"Yes, and we really are terribly thrilled about it. I know you won't believe it, but neither of us has ever camped in our life. John is reading all the camping literature he can find."

"Of course, you are thrilled. Who wouldn't be on their first camping trip? I suppose you are working on the list of things not to take. First time campers usually pile everything in the car from the tea wagon to the piano."

"Oh, we aren't that bad, really; but we are learning a lot about camping from books we are reading."

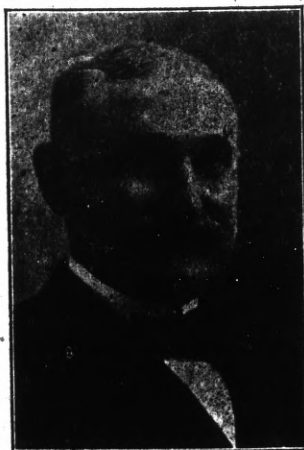
"Don't do like the Oaklanders I read about who were arrested for leaving fires in the forest and had to spend their vacation in a small town jail."

"No danger. We realize the terrible importance about the fires. What worries me most right now is what to wear."

"Oh, let me tell you about some adorable tweed suits that are on sale at Cherry's at 515 13th street. They are beauties for \$19.50 and are worth up to \$49.50. They are wonderful on a camping trip and they wear like iron. Get your suit cleaned when you come home and you can use it for street wear. One can't wear those tweeds out. Cherry's sell on credit, you know, and their Semi-Annual Clearance Sale is on right now. Cherry's store for men is at 528 13th street. Advertisement."

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Admission Day To Be Observed At San Jose

There will be a state-wide celebration of Admission Day on September 9th at San Jose, according to plans made at the last session of the Grand Parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West. The annual celebrations have not been held for the past several years due to a ruling made by the Grand Parlor. However, this rule was revoked at the last session and plans are being made for a big time this year.

MRS. STIDHAM TO BE HOME SOON

The many friends of Mrs. J. Winifred Stidham, and of her daughter, Mrs. Thelma Erickson, of Fort Bragg, will be gratified to learn that Mrs. Erickson appears to be making a good recovery from a recent major operation.

Mrs. Stidham was scheduled to appear at last Sunday afternoon's meeting of the Union Labor Political club and her daughter's illness made this out of the question.

However, Mr. Stidham told the Record-Herald yesterday that their daughter is getting along quite as well as they had any reason to expect, and that Mrs. Stidham hopes to be among her friends in the county without delay, when she will take up the responsibilities of her campaign with all the sincerity and earnestness that are characteristic of her.

Many Motorists Are Cited Here

Because of alleged violations of the motor vehicle act, a number of motorists have been cited to appear in the police court here. Included in the citations were E. R. More, Richmond, no tail light; R. L. Anderson, Richmond, no tail light; F. W. Holtz, Oakland, no tail light.

As a result of leaving his automobile standing in the street with the motor running and with no one in or near the machine, A. Curllow was fined \$10 by Police Judge Odell. I. Para of South San Francisco was fined \$1 for driving his automobile without a tail light, and J. H. Torson was reprimanded for a minor violation of the motor vehicle act.

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STATE BUREAU BOOSTS VEALE

STATE BUREAU

Martinez, July 26.—Declaring that if all police officials in the State would give the Bureau of Identification the same co-operation that Contra Costa has, crime in California would soon be reduced to a minimum. C. S. Morrill, superintendent of the Department of Identification has written a letter to Sheriff R. R. Veale commending the efficient aid rendered in the work of his office.

For many years Sheriff Veale has maintained an identification department in his office by which an accurate record of every criminal who has been arrested in the county has been kept. The results have many times over paid for the work required in keeping up such a bureau.

When the State Bureau of Identification was established, Sheriff Veale was one of the most ardent workers for the success of the department and in his communication Morrill says that the "results have only been obtained by the co-operation of such officials as yourself who realize from past experience the element that they have to deal with and who understand modern methods of criminal identification."

Contra Costans can best judge the benefits of the identification system maintained by Sheriff Veale by his success in maintaining peace at all times and especially when other sections are invaded by offenders with long records who have learned from experience to shun this county.

Sheriff Veale was signally honored at the recent convention of Chiefs of Police held in San Francisco when he was named a member of the Identification committee in recognition of his work in this line.

S. F. MARKETS

San Francisco, July 25.—Eggs were steady to slightly firmer during San Francisco wholesale trading today, extra firsts going on the board at 24½ cents and extra pullets gaining one-half cent to 23 cents. Prime firsts eased one-half cent to 40 cents.



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The "Lure of Gold" With Neal Hart At Macdonald Theatre

The feature film at the Macdonald this evening is Neal Hart in "Lure of Gold," a gripping story of the West. Romance, misery, tragedy and other elements that go to make life complex and eventful are treated in this story in masterful manner.

Gold, that element that makes men commit murder, robbery, and other crimes, and that inspires women to supreme and tragic efforts, is the theme that colors the whole story.

Neal Hart is the leading character, and has fine support throughout.

Other items on the bill are Baby Peggy in "Little Miss Mischief," a clean comedy; and a Scenic.

Eugene O'Brien, emotional actor, will be the leading attraction tomorrow.

IRA VAUGHN EXPECTED HOME NEXT SUNDAY

Ira Vaughn, past exalted ruler of Richmond Lodge of Elks, is expected to return Sunday from Atlantic City, where he attended the Grand Lodge session as a delegate from Richmond Lodge. He and Mrs. Vaughn are visiting many cities in the East during the trip.

A. L. AUXILIARY WILL VISIT MARINE HOSPITAL

The members of the Auxiliary of the American Legion will make a trip Thursday to the Marine hospital in San Francisco. All those desiring to make the trip are requested to get in touch with Mrs. G. F. Relfschneider, at 248 Eleventh street.

JUDGE HI JACOBS HAS BUSINESS AT MARTINEZ

Judge Hiram E. Jacobs, prominent member of the Richmond bar, active Mason and past exalted ruler of the Richmond lodge of Elks, had professional business at Martinez yesterday.

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Every person entitled thereto must during the year 1922, thirty (30) days before election, at which he or she may desire to vote, file for registration for Municipal election for towns of sixth class closes March 1, 1922.
Registration for August primary election closes July 29, 1922.
Registration for general election closes October 7, 1922.
Make application for registration to the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk, Contra Costa County California.
Dated, January 1, 1922.
The following are registration deputies:
W. J. Kearns, Rodeo,
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George Valencia, San Pablo,
F. M. Silva, San Pablo,
Grace L. Kendall, San Pablo,
Alice M. Morris, El Cerrito,
John Sandvick, El Cerrito,
Mrs. Frances I. Nantz, El Cerrito,
A. C. Paris, City Hall, Richmond,
L. W. Brougham, City Hall, Richmond,
H. G. Stidham, 163 Washington avenue, Richmond,
George Johnson, 208 Richmond avenue, Richmond,
M. J. Gordon, 321 Macdonald avenue, Richmond,
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E. P. Vaughan, 610 Macdonald avenue, Richmond,
Marie L. Ostrom, 735 Bissell avenue, Richmond,
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NOTICE OF SALE BONDS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY given under and by virtue of a resolution of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, State of California, made and entered into at a regular session of said Board on the 21st day of July, 1922, the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County will sell their office in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, on the 7th day of August, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M. to the highest bidder for U. S. gold coin, Bonds of Contra Costa County, State of California, of the following tenor: Ten Bonds of \$1000.00 each, both inclusive, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually to run as follows: Bond No. 1 to mature one year from date, to-wit: on the first day of August, 1923, and one consecutive year thereafter; Bond No. 2 to mature on the first day of August of each year thereafter until all of said bonds are paid. Said Bonds to be dated August 1, 1922, and to bear interest from said date. All bids to be in writing and signed by the bidder and addressed to J. H. Wells, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, and marked "Bids for San Pablo School District Bonds." All bids received subsequent to this date and prior to and on the seventh day of August, 1922, up to 11 o'clock A. M. of said day, will be opened on said day. No bids will be received for less than par value of said bonds, and accrued interest to date of delivery, nor unless accompanied by certified check of five per cent of amount bid. The Legal Opinion of Messrs. Goodfellow, Moore, Ellis & Orlick, San Francisco, California, as to validity of said bonds will be furnished to successful bidder free of charge. No conditional bid will be considered. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated July 26, 1922. J. H. WELLS, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, State of California. Publish July 19 to August 2, 1922.

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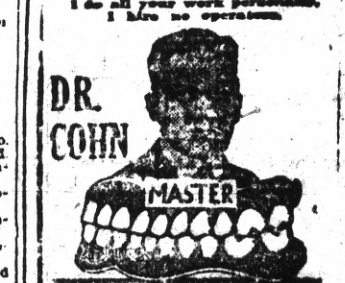
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YOSEMITE WILL HAVE INDIAN FIELD DAYS

Yosemite National Park, Calif., July 25.—Preparing for the greatest Indian field days celebration ever held in Yosemite, Chief Ranger Townsley has announced a program which will pack two days, August 4th and 5th, with thrilling Western sports, attracting the best riders in the West.

Several new events have been added to the program including one for automobiles and one for horses. The automobile contest will be an Indian Auto Polo Race, "flyers only," which should provide thrills and amusement from start to finish. It is typical of changing conditions that many Indians now own and drive motor cars. The horse contest will be a Ranger's Pack Animal Race, open to all who desire to compete. The contestant will represent a Patrolling Ranger and will be asleep in his blankets when a fire call comes in. The contestant must get up, pack his horse travel 100 yards, return to camp, unpack fire tools and be ready to fight a forest fire.

Another new event will be a baseball game between an All-Star Yosemite team and an All-Star team from Tuolumne County.

Ladies will be interested in the Indian basket and bead work exhibition, new this year, which will bring out the finest specimens of these crafts to be found in California.

Of course, prizes are offered for all events, the total prize fund amounting to \$1,500.00. Chief Ranger Townsley is director of the annual celebration, and prize money will be distributed by United States Commissioner Dugan.

In addition to the new events, there will be a mounted tug of war, mounted bending race, horse races, and the always thrilling potato races, with dwarf football, polo, and all other games for riding and fighting.

Helping Hi Out In Washington

The innate modesty (?) of Hiram Johnson commends itself to some of his fervid followers:

A gentleman from Brentwood yesterday upon his return from "several weeks spent in Washington," opined that Hiram's majority over C. C. Moore will be a mere bagatelle of 200,000.

He did not say what Hiram's majority would be in Oregon.

Those who take issue with the ex-Bull Moose will get comfort out of the statement from Moore's headquarters yesterday that he will come across the Tehachapi with a majority of around 100,000.

Some little handicap for Hiram? M'What? "p-p-p-p-p" shrdl! What!

MOTORED TO CLOVERDALE

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Usher and Mr. E. C. Lane enjoyed a motor trip to Cloverdale over the week end.

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The Mardi Gras Mystery

By H. BEDFORD-JONES

Illustrations by Irwin Myers

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"A night of ardent mockery glittered in the eyes of Jackin Fell. 'You are passing your firm conviction,' he quivered, 'very largely upon your discovery of the blue oil!'"

"To a large extent, yes,"

"I thought you would," and Fell laughed harshly.

"What do you mean?"

"I mean," said the other, fiercely earnest, "that for a month I've worked to sell that land. I had young Mallard hooked and landed—it would have been poetic justice to make him hand over a small fortune to Lucie! But that deal is off, since he's in jail. And do you know why young Mallard wanted to buy the land? For the same reason you don't want to sell. I sent him out there and he saw that all seepage, as I meant that he should. He thought he would skin Lucie out of her land, not dreaming that I had prepared a nice little trap to swallow him. And now you come along—"

"Man, what are you driving at?" exclaimed Gramont. He was startled by what he read in the other man's face.

"Lucie," he pointed that all seepage myself—or had it done by men I could trust," said Jackin Fell, calmly. He sat back in his chair and took up his cigar with an air of finality. "The confession is shameless. I love Lucie more than my own ethical purity. Besides, I intend to wrong no one in the matter."

Gramont sat stunned beyond words. There was no reason to doubt what Fell said. Gramont believed the little man sincere in his love for Lucie.

"No matter what the outcome, your reputation will not be affected," said Fell, quietly. "The company which will buy this land of Lucie's is controlled by me. You understand? Even if no oil is ever found there, I shall see to it that you will not be injured because of that signed statement."

Gramont nodded in dull comprehension. He realized that Fell had devised this whole business scheme with infernal ingenuity; had devised it in order to take a hundred and fifty thousand dollars out of his own pocket and put it into that of Lucie. It was a present which the girl would never accept, as a gift, but which, if it came in the way of business, would make her financially independent. Nobody would be defrauded. There was no chicanery about it. The thing was straight enough.

"That's not quite all of my plan," pursued Fell, as though reading Gramont's unuttered thoughts. "The minute this news becomes public, the minute your statement is published, there will be a tremendous boom in that whole section. I shall take charge of Lucie's money, and within three weeks I should double it, triple it, for her. Before the boom bursts she will be out of it all, and wealthy. Now, my dear Gramont, I do not presume that you will still refuse to come with me? I have been quite frank with you, see."

"Yes," he said, low-voiced. "Yes, by heavens, I do refuse!"

With an effort he checked his impulsive words that were on his tongue. One word now might ruin him! He dared not say that he did not want to see Fell's money pass into the hands of Lucie—money gained by fraud and theft and crime! He dared not give his reasons for refusing. He meant now to crush Fell utterly—but one wrong word would give the man full warning. He must say nothing.

"It's not straight work, Fell. Regardless of your motives, I refuse to join you."

Jackin Fell sighed slightly, and laid down his cigar with precision.

"Gramont," his voice came with the softly purring menace of a tiger's throat-tone. "I shall now adjourn this company meeting for two days, until Saturday morning, in order to give you a little time to reconsider. Today is Thursday. By Saturday—"

"I need no time," said Gramont. "But you will need it. I suppose you know that Bob Mallard has been arrested for perjury? You are aware of the evidence against him—all circumstantial!"

Gramont frowned. "What has that got to do with our present business?"

"Quite a bit, I fancy." A thin smile curved the lips of Jackin Fell. "Mallard is not guilty of the murder—but you are."

"Liar!" Gramont started from his chair as those three words burned into him. "Liar! Why, you know that I went home—"

"Ah, wait!" Fell lifted his hand for peace. His voice was calm. "Ansel and I both saw you depart, certainly. We have since learned that you did not reach home until some time after midnight. You have positively no alibi. Gramont. You may allege, of course, that you were wandering the streets—"

"As I was!" cried Gramont, heatedly.

"Then prove it, my dear fellow; prove it—if you can. Now, we shall keep Lucie out of all this. What remains? I know that you were the Midnight Masquer. My man, Ben Chaccherre, can prove by another man who accompanied him, that the Masquer's foot was taken from your car. A photograph in the private office, yonder, has a record of the talk between us of the other morning, in which you made patent confession to being the Masquer."

"Once let me hand this array of evidence over to the district attorney, and you will most certainly stand trial. And, if you do stand trial, I can promise you fully that you will meet conviction. I have friends, you see, and many of them are influential in such small matters."

It was not a nice smile that curved the lips of Fell.

Gramont choked back any response, holding himself to silence with a firm will. He dared say nothing, lest he say too much. He saw that Fell could indeed make trouble for him—and that he must strike his own blow at Fell without great delay. It was a battle, now; a fight to the end.

Fell regarded Gramont cheerfully, seeming to take this crushed silence as evidence of his own triumph.

"Further," he added, "your man Hammond is now in jail at Houma, as you know, for the murder of the sheriff. Now, my influence is not confined to this city, Gramont; I may be able to clear Hammond of this charge—if you decide to vote with me. I may keep what I know about the Midnight Masquer from the press and from the district attorney—if you decide to vote with me. You comprehend?"

Gramont nodded. He saw now why Fell wanted to "get something" on Hammond. Fell had rightly reasoned that Gramont would do more to save Hammond than to save himself.

"You think I murdered Mallard, then?" he asked.

"Gramont, I don't know what to think, and that's the honest truth!" answered Fell, with a steady regard. "But I am absolutely determined to put this all deal across, to make Lucie

Ledanois at least independent, if not wealthy. I can do it, I've made all my plans to do it, and I will do it!"

"We'll hold another meeting, day after tomorrow—Saturday morning," Fell rose. "That will give me time to conclude all arrangements. I trust, Mr. Gramont, that you will vote with me for the adjournment?"

"Yes," said Gramont, dully. "I will."

"Thank you," and Jackin Fell bowed slightly, not without a trace of mockery in his air.

CHAPTER XIII.

The Coin Falls Heads.

Gramont sat in his own room that afternoon. It seemed to him that he had been away from the city for weeks, and months. Yet only a day had intervened. He sat fingering the only piece of mail that had come to him—a notice from the post of the American Legion which he had joined, to the effect that there would be a meeting that Thursday evening. Only Thursday! And tomorrow was Friday.

If he was to effect anything against the headquarters of Fell's gang he must not on the morrow or not at all. Gumberts was to be out there tomorrow. Gumberts would talk with the ratty little man of the projecting teeth and adenoids, would find Gramont had imposed upon the fellow, and there would be upheavals. The gang would take to flight, certainly, or at least make certain that Gramont's mouth was shut.

He sat fingering the postal from the Legion, and turning over events in his mind. Against Fell he had no particular animosity. All that the little gray man had done had been done with the thought of Lucie Ledanois as a spur.

"If I'm to strike a blow, I'll have to do it tomorrow—before noon tomorrow, also. I'll have to leave here mighty early, and get there before Gumberts does. What was it Hammond said that day about him—that nobody in the country had ever caught Memphis Izzy? I bet I could do it, and his whole gang with him—if I knew how. There's the rub! Fell won't hesitate a minute in having me arrested. And as he said, once he got me arrested, I'd be gone. He must be able to exert a powerful influence, that man!"

Should he strike or not? If he struck, he might expect the full weight of Jackin Fell's vengeance—unless his blow would include Fell among the victims.

Gramont was still pondering this dilemma when Ben Chaccherre arrived. Gramont heard the man's voice on the stairs. Ben's impudence, perhaps added to his name and the Creole French upon his lips, had carried him past the concierge unannounced, although not without a continued exchange of repartee that served to give Gramont warning of the visitor. Smiling grimly, Gramont drew a coin from his pocket, and flipped it.

The coin fell heads. He pocketed it again, as Ben Chaccherre knocked, and opened the door.

"Ah, Chaccherre!" he exclaimed. "Come in."

Ben swaggered inside and closed the door.

"Brought a message for you, Mr. Gramont," he said, jauntily, and extended a note.

Gramont tore open the envelope and read a curt communication:

"Kindly let me know your answer as soon as possible. By tomorrow evening at latest. It will be necessary to arrange affairs for Saturday."

"JACKIN FELL."

To arrange affairs! Fell was taking for granted that Gramont would give an assent, under force of persuasion, to the scheme. He would probably have everything in readiness, and it assured by Friday night of Gramont's assent, would then pull his strings and perhaps complete the whole deal before the following Monday.

The meeting of the company had been adjourned to Saturday morning. Gramont thought a moment, then went to his bath, excused and opened it. Chaccherre had already taken a seat. Gramont wrote:

"My Dear Mr. Fell:

"If you will arrange the company meeting for tomorrow evening, say nine o'clock, at your office, I think that everything may then be arranged. As I may not see Miss Ledanois in the meantime, will you be kind enough to assure her presence at the meeting?"

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(Continued Tomorrow)

Booster Booklets For Bay Region

Final plans for the publication of 150,000 folders advertising the beauty spots of Northern California, were made yesterday by the Northern California Hotelmen's Association, at its luncheon at the Palace. It is planned to publish ultimately 250,000 folders.

Question of the up-keep of the mission bells along the El Camino Real was also taken up by the organization. It is said that they are badly neglected and in need of repainting, and in some instances, replacing, and the association voted to take up the matter with the Native Sons of the Golden West and with mission restoration leaders.

The association voted to co-operate with other organizations including the Navy Department to send the Pacific fleet and San Francisco as often as it is sent to other cities on the Pacific Coast.

A vote of thanks was given Harvey M. Toy, vice-president of the organization, for his work in planning a revival of the Portola celebration.

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CRUELTY PLEA WINS DIVORCE

Martinez, July 25.—Howard Martin Barnard, of Richmond, was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce today from Marjorie Barnard by Superior Judge A. B. McKenzie. The husband charged cruelty. Mrs. Barnard was granted custody of a minor child and \$30 monthly for its support.

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Point Happenings

LAST CONFERENCE OF YEAR HELD BY FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

The last quarterly conference for the year of the First Methodist church was held at Point Richmond last night, with Dr. H. E. Milnes, district superintendent in the chair.

There was a good attendance. In fact the congregation was gratifyingly large when consideration is had of the fact that so many people are out of the city for their summer vacation, and further there were numerous amusements on the boards last night.

Dr. Milnes gave an interesting discourse and some illuminative reports were made.

The following were elected stewards: Mrs. Katherine Dooly, Mrs. B. McWhorter, Mrs. Helen Burdick, Mrs. Jessie Bradley, Mrs. C. E. Adams, Mrs. Isabel Rodman, Mrs. James Bly, Mrs. Nettie Scott, Mrs. J. P. Smith, Mrs. I. D. Owens, Mrs. T. H. Finley and Mrs. H. A. Grover, and H. O. Stidham, C. E. Rogers, J. O. Weson and J. E. George.

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TURLOCK DENTIST TAKES OVER PT. DENTIST'S OFFICE

Dr. James Logan, of Turlock, whose mother, Mrs. B. F. Logan, resides at 502 Bissell avenue in Richmond, has taken over the dental practice of Dr. E. T. Dykes at 218 Washington avenue at the Point. The new doctor is a graduate of the University of California, and has had a great deal of experience in his profession. His addition to Richmond will be welcomed by many.

VISITS SAN RAFAEL

Charles Dorn, popular West Side resident, was a dinner guest of friends in San Rafael yesterday.

MAKES WEEK-END TRIP TO CAPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reed, 25 Tunnel avenue, enjoyed a week-end motor trip to Sacramento.

RETURNS FROM SIX WEEKS VISIT TO SEATTLE

Argyle Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Adams, 122 Marina avenue, has returned from a six-weeks' visit with relatives in Seattle, Wash. He plans to return to the Richmond high school next month.

MISS JEAN MOYLE HOME FROM MODESTO

Miss Jean Moyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Moyle, has returned from a vacation spent with relatives near Modesto. She also enjoyed several trips to Pine Crest and Strawberry Lake.

J. E. GEORGES ENTERTAIN FOR KANSAS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. George, 39 Bellvedere avenue, entertained as dinner guests last evening Mr. and Mrs. George Leatherman of Winfield, Kansas, who arrived yesterday afternoon from Los Angeles. Mr. Leatherman has accepted a teaching fellowship at the University of California. He and Mrs. Leatherman left last night for their new home in Berkeley.

F. B. HICKS RECOVERING FROM RECENT OPERATION

The many friends of F. B. Hicks, 27 Nichol avenue, who underwent an operation yesterday morning at the Merritt hospital, Oakland, will be glad to hear that his condition is greatly improved. The operation was performed by Dr. Dukes.

Press Support In County Of C. C. Moore

Five newspapers in Contra Costa so far are lined up for C. C. Moore for United States Senator. They are: Richmond Daily Record-Herald, Martinez Daily Gazette, Pittsburg Dispatch, Crockett Signal and Byron Times.

Eastern Contra Costa, embracing Antioch, Brentwood, Oakley, Knightsen and Byron, gave Booth 405, Johnson 347. That year the Byron Times was one of two papers in the whole county that supported Booth.

Predictions are freely made; even at this early date, that Moore will lead Johnson in the Byron district by a vote of practically 2 to 1.

In the county the result will be close, not more than a couple of hundred votes separating the two candidates.—Byron Times.

HELPS KIDNEY PAINS AND BACK- ACHE

That's just what Foley Kidney Pills did for B. H. Stone, Reading, Pa., who was unable to attend to business as a result of kidney trouble. He says: "I used Foley Kidney Pills and soon found pains in my kidneys gone and I had not more aches. (They are worth their weight in gold to me.) Why suffer from backache, rheumatism, kidney and bladder ailments when Foley Kidney Pills may be so easily had. Sold everywhere."

RICHMOND VOTERS, ARE YOU HEEDFUL?

In the upper left hand corner of the front page of the Record-Herald there appears this timely admonition: Richmond voters should support candidates from the Western end. Stand by Richmond.

The Record-Herald believes that the candidates for public office from Richmond and its environs are of just as lofty character and just as capable caliber as those from the other parts of the county.

The Record-Herald further believes that the Lord delights to help those who help themselves and that the old saw about a prophet being without honor save in his own country ought to be ditched along with the autograph album and the ready-tied scarf.

The Record-Herald insists that Richmond's candidates are entitled to the first consideration at the hands of Richmond voters.

Richmond, largest city in the county, and the richest, in truth, and in equity entitled to greater consideration in the matter of recognition at the court house, and the Record-Herald says again.

"Richmond should support candidates from the Western end. Stand by Richmond!"

Norma Talmage In "Love's Redemption" At T. & D. Theatre

The tropical warmth of the West Indies, the sunshine of Norma Talmage's smile and a story of action and appeal are promised in "Love's Redemption," the first National attraction which will be the feature picture at the Richmond theater today and tomorrow.

The scenes, for the greater part, are laid in Jamaica and the surrounding country. Miles and miles of sugar plantation roll before the spectator in undulating curves to end only where the thickness of the forests in the distance obscures further view. By contrast, other scenes of the picture feature the sun-kissed shore of Jamaica with natives leading the ships.

A part of unusual appeal has been written for the popular star in Ginger, the attractive young island girl. Accustomed to fight her own battles, she orders the natives around like a queen, and defies the scandal mongers of the fashionable Planters' Club.

The island is infested with confidence men, card sharps, bankrupts and broken-down English lads of good antecedents but no ambition. It is among the latter class that Ginger finds Clifford Standish, who has been exiled from home and has gently slid along the down-grade made slippery by Jamaica rum.

This situation furnishes the basis for a plot of tense interest and genuine heart appeal. Ginger sets out to redeem the youngster; but the final evolution is a distinct surprise in screen records.

The picture was adapted by Anthony Paul Kelly from Andrew Souter's story "On Principle." Albert Parker directed.

John Nordeen Funeral Today

The funeral of John Nordeen, retired contracting carpenter and Richmond property owner, who passed away Monday evening in Martinez, will be held at 3:30 this afternoon from the Curry chapel. Deceased was 58 years of age and was a native of Sweden. He left no known relatives here. Rev. H. K. Sanborn will officiate at the services today.

COAST LEAGUE			
Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	71	42	.629
Vernon	64	47	.576
Los Angeles	62	53	.539
Salt Lake	56	56	.500
Oakland	55	59	.482
Seattle	50	61	.450
Portland	46	65	.415
Sacramento	46	67	.407

Results.
San Francisco 5, Vernon 0.
Sacramento 1, Salt Lake 0.
Sacramento 12, Salt Lake 10.
Portland at Seattle, postponed.
Teams Traveling.
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San Francisco 1, Vernon 0.
Los Angeles 1, Oakland 0.
Sacramento 1, Salt Lake 0.

O. R. C. Auxiliary Visit Neptune

A number of members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the O. R. C. of Richmond were guests yesterday of the Oakland chapter of the auxiliary at a picnic at Neptune Beach. Games and bathing and other aquatic sports were enjoyed. Prizes were won by Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. Butler.

The ladies of the Richmond auxiliary now are discussing a return party when they will entertain the Oakland members.

Among those present from this city were Mesdames Pearl Bryant, Bernice McCormick, Katherine Simpson, Ethel Butler and Anna Bowyer.

Lon Butler Is Tuesday Visitor At Martinez

Lon Butler, popular engineer on the Santa Fe Coast line, was in Martinez on business yesterday.

HENRY CUTTING VOICES VIEWS

With the characteristic enthusiasm and vigor that enabled him to transform the Inner Harbor Project from "Cutting's dream" into a reality, Henry C. Cutting has thrown his hat into the political ring and announced himself a Republican candidate for Congress from Alameda County—on a platform of Business Prosperity and Harbor Improvement.

Cutting Harbor Expert.

Cutting is an expert on harbor improvement and the author of "Harbor Cities of the World" which valuable treatise has been spoken of very highly by Harvard University. Therefore, if anyone can better harbor conditions on the east side of the Bay, Cutting is surely qualified to do so.

Speaking of his plans Mr. Cutting said, "I have made this Congressional announcement at the urgent solicitation of my friends who believe I have a great public message to deliver and another big idea to put over in behalf of the people, of even greater moment than the Inner Harbor project or Cutting Boulevard."

"This idea is built around Business Prosperity and advocates Public Control of Bank Credit, which is the Key to better times and the Remedy for Economic Ills."

"Ordinarily, I do not hanker for the political limelight. But when one has a real justifiable political issue, one should surely get at into the limelight of politics, where the open forum of public opinion decides all such matters."

Therefore, I have decided to run for Congress on the platform not only of Harbor Improvement (which I have sponsored locally for many years) but also of Public Control of Bank Credit, and if elected I shall not only represent the people actually, but shall put these issues up to the people squarely from the Nation's Capital."

Remedy For Ills.

For several years Mr. Cutting has been a close student of finances and economics and during this time he has written an interesting book called the "Strangle Hold," wherein he has outlined his ideas of finance and submitted a remedy for our economic ills. This book and Cutting's ideas are receiving wide attention from well known financiers characters as Andrew Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury, being in correspondence with Mr. Cutting regarding his ideas for Public Control of bank credit.

"If I can get this issue before Merced, Stanislaus, San Joaquin, I am sure they will grasp the necessity of adopting my plan and gaining Economic Liberty, which condition is yet a myth in America even though we have had political liberty for long years."

"Naturally a big issue of this kind will react in favor of Alameda County and give it a lot of favorable publicity," Mr. Cutting added.

It is understood considerable of a local organization is being effected to help Mr. Cutting with his political plans. Certainly, Alameda County needs a Harbor expert of Cutting's caliber in Congress, and it is needless to say that his many friends in Richmond will watch the race he is running with great interest.

U. C. PROFESSOR GIVES POINTERS TO HAWAIIANS

Dr. Elwood Mead, Professor of Rural Institutions in the University of California, has just returned to Berkeley after a month spent in the Hawaiian Islands as special advisor to the Hawaiian Homes Commission.

The Hawaiian government entered upon a plan a number of years ago designed to get men and their families upon the soil but proved a failure. Government lands were subdivided into small blocks of five to fifty acres and sold on a lottery basis and sometimes upon terms more attractive to land speculators than to genuine farmers. The speculating element, lack of marketing facilities and expensive transportation are some of the factors which combined to bring the efforts of the government mostly to naught. However, a few of those who took up the land proved to be genuine farmers and succeeded in spite of obstacles, demonstrating the feasibility of the plan.

Through the Hawaiian Homes Commission the Hawaiian government is now making a fresh start and is aided greatly by advice given them by Dr. Mead. Beside giving the Commission a few pointers Dr. Mead gave the following pointers to the farmers:

"Make the social life of your community so pleasant that your women folk and children will not hanker to go to the city to live."

Following are the pointers Dr. Mead gave the Hawaiian Commission:

1. Instead of resorting to lottery, select carefully the occupants of farm sites. Get farmers, not land speculators.
2. Provide roads on the land and remove enough of the many obstacles of getting started, so that the farmer has a fair chance to succeed.
3. Provide facilities and such expert advice as the farmer needs.
4. Give the farmer all the land he can work, but no more. Don't handicap him with a farm that is too large.
5. Remove the temptation to speculate by retaining some "strings" on the land. Give the farmer full title, but retain the right to select his successor as carefully as he was selected for his job.

Pythian Sisters Install Officer

Mrs. Hilda Archibald was installed as Mistress of Records and Correspondence by Contra Costa Temple No. 113, Pythian Sisters, at its meeting in Pythian Castle. Belle Richards acted as installing officer and was assisted by Mrs. Anna Bowyer as Grand Senior, and Miss Josephine Bareilles as Grand Manager.

Plans were developed for a picnic to be held on Thursday, August 5, at East Shore Park. An interesting program for the outing is being arranged by a committee headed by Mrs. Francis Mitchell.

Deer Season Opens Tuesday

The deer season opens next Tuesday. Hunters are putting the finishing touches on their training. For weeks they have been stalking the house cat, fixing the sights of an unloaded gun upon it and dreaming it a six-forked buck and themselves the never-missing Nimrods of action.

Veterans are entertaining friends with tales of the bucks they almost downed in other seasons or pointing out to visitors the antlers that hang in the parlor.

Novices, too, have been busy. Already they are fasting the salty jerky, already skinning an imaginary buck with brand new knife, already wondering how much truth there is in the stories of "deer fever" proving fatal.

But all this was preliminary. Next Tuesday at dawn hundreds will be scouring Lake County, Napa County, and, as the game regulations have it, "portions of Mendocino, Marin, Solano, Yolo, Glenn, Sonoma, Colusa, Contra Costa, Alameda, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Kern, Kings, Fresno, Merced, Stanislaus, San Joaquin, San Benito, Ventura, and Santa Barbara." These counties are included in Districts 2 and 3.

District 2 1/2, probably as popular with local sportsmen as any other, includes "that portion of Mendocino County between the ocean and the summit of the divide between the ocean and the Russian and Eel rivers."

Two bucks during the season, which lasts in the counties enumerated until September 14, will be allowed each hunter. Does, fawns and spike bucks are taboo.

SAN PABLANS TO VOTE SOON ON SANITATION

All members were present at the meeting of the San Pablo Sanitary board last evening, and it was decided to hold an election on Tuesday, September 5th, for the purpose of allowing the people of the city of San Pablo and contiguous district to vote on the question of joining the sanitary district.

For the construction of the Cheesey avenue sewer, which will provide for the needs of the Republic Steel Package company, three bids were received and a contract was awarded to Downer and Mero for \$2304.10. The other bids were L. L. Page, \$2411.20; Fred Meyer, \$2956.50.

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